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St. Cloud Bound to Grow Apace as Result of Cob-Web of Interurban Lines With St. Cloud as a Hub Opening Up a Large and Rich Undeveloped Section of Florida

St. Cloud is again forging to the front and residents of the Wonder City are the chief instigators and founders of the Central Florida Inter-Urban Railway Company (Incorporated). This is a further proof that this town is up to date and notwithstanding the fact that St. Cloud has recenly voted a large amount for bonds for the improvement of the roads in this district some of our leading citizens have applied for a charter for a $100,000 corporation for the improvement of passenger and freight traffic in the vicinity. The incorporators are Messrs. C. E. Carlson, who is the president; W. S. Alyea, vice president; and Wm. Hall, secretary and treasurer, all of whom are St. Cloud residents.

C. E. Carlson is in the undertaking business here and is one of our successful citizens. He has been in the city for several years and there are few who know better than he does the requirements of this particular section. Mr. Wm. S. Alyea came to St. Cloud from Atchison, Kansas, last October, though he has previously been a resident of this state. He is a wide awake, progressive capitalist and railroad man of large ideas and whose investments and efforts to promote enterprises spells success.

Mr. Wm. Hall was for many years in the employ of the express companies as their manager in Winnepeg, Manitoba, and is one of the directors of the First National Bank of St. Cloud.

All three of these business men were quick to grasp the possibilities of an inter-urban line such as are seen in the Northern states, but which are lamentably lacking in the South, and they soon got their heads together and formulated plans to remedy this evil.

The charter calls for the construction of some 300 miles of road. The first one to be started is one from St. Cloud, Florida, through Osceola, Orange and Seminole counties, to Sanford. Within a couple of years it is proposed to extend this line, making connections with Tampa and also to some point not yet decided on, to the East Coast.

The headquarters of the new corporation and the general offices will be in the city of St. Cloud.

When this new road gets into operation a new large and rich section of the state will be opened up and the further development of St. Cloud must surely follow.

HOTTER IN NORTH AMONG MOUNTAINS THAN IN FLORIDA

St. Cloud Basks In Delightful Sunshine and Is Fanned By Cool Breeze Daily From Ocean and Gulf

When one lives in the mountain districts anywhere north of Florida and declares his intention of coming here in the summer time, he is usually told, by those who do not know, that Florida is "too hot" in summer.

A notable instance of the fallacy of this idea recently came to light.

An article in the Chattanooga News says:

"Hotter by two degrees than the same day a year ago. Friday reached the zenith of temperatures for the present year. The thermometer climbed to ninety-two and stuck there with loving determination.

"Generally speaking, it was a day that took the starch out of collars and enthusiasm. Of course there were a few places, like soda fountains and swimming pools, that were cool, but everywhere else people suffered greatly with the unusual heat. Palm Beach clothing developed that stick quality that makes it so embarrassing to the fat man, and despite the criticism uttered by certain Anthony Comstockish people, the filmy clothing and short skirts and sheer hosiery of the feminine contingent, provoked more of envy than of any other emotion. According to advance dope from the weatherman there is no such relief in sight right now."

The hottest we've had in St. Cloud this year is 91 degrees, and there was a cool, refreshing breeze all day.

Death of Former St. Cloud Resident

We much regret to learn of the death of Comrade J. B. Beach, formerly of Co. B, 77th O. V. V. I., who died at Marietta, Ohio, on March 17. Comrade Beach enlisted in 1861 and was mustered out in 1866. He was one of the first to invest in St. Cloud property and was a resident of this city in 1910.

C. W. MORSMAN ONE OF NATAL HAY DAY SPEAKERS

June 20th, Natal Grass Day, is to be celebrated at Grand Island, Lake county, Florida. Addresses will be made by several prominent citizens, among others one by C. W. Morsman of St. Cloud. One of the features of the occasion will be the free distribution of miniature bales of Natal hay, 6x6x12. There are thousands of acres of this hay in the vicinity of Grand Island and it is well worth while to pay that section a visit.

Ladies' Improvement Club Met Wednesday

The Ladies' Improvement Club met at their club rooms on June 7th. Mrs. C. K. Hendrix presided at the meeting. Mrs. J. Coyle and Mrs. H. W. Illman were admitted to membership. It was resolved that during the summer months the meetings would be held on the first Wednesday of every month. The library committee reported that the lots on which the new library is to be situated are being cleared by Mr. Cellar and his associates.

Was Prisoner of War

Walter H. Fowler, of West St. Cloud, has returned from a visit to Fitzgerald, Ga. On Memorial Day he attended the services at Andersonville, Ga., in charge of Geo. A. Crouse Post No. 17, Department of Georgia and South Carolina G. A. R.. The graves of over 13,000 comrades were decorated. Mr Fowler was a prisoner at Andersonville during the war and this was his first visit there since that time. It is now a most beautiful place, he says, and he was able to locate the spot where many months he lay on the ground in 1864.

MILAR TAKES POSSESSION OF THE PADGETT STORE

Mr. W. Milar who some time ago sold his grocery store on New York avenue to Mr. Garner, has lately purchased the John Padgett meat market on Pennsylvania avenue and is stocking up his store with groceries and meats. Mr. Milar has been and is still right up to the standard as one of the progressives of the town and he is anxious to see his old customers.

Women's Relief Corps Met Last Thursday

L. L. Mitchell W. R. C. No. 12 was called to order at 2 p. m. June 8th, with Mrs. Livermore, the president in the chair. On roll call three officers were absent but two came a little later. Mrs. Slawson was initiated and quite a good deal of relief work was reported.

The committee was selected for the decoration and refreshments for the social to be given on Flag Day, June 14th. Thirty-five members were in attendance.

Caroline E. Fowler, P. C.

Take Summer Vacation

Mrs. Henrietta Williams and Miss Edythe Williams left Jacksonville for Baltimore on the steamer Somerset on Saturday last. They will spend some time in Washington, D. C. and will return to their home in Valparaiso Ind., for the summer. Miss Edythe has been popular here during her stay in St. Cloud and has done a great deal to help in all public entertainments and her talent as an elocutionist has been greatly appreciated. Miss Bonnie Ricketts will temporarily take her place at the Zimmerman store.

CHILDREN'S DAY OBSERVED SUNDAY AT M. E. CHURCH

Exercises, In Which Graduating Class and Student Body Took Part Proved Interesting and Instructive

Children's Day dawned bright and beautiful last Sunday and the church was tastefully decorated for the occasion, and the exercises by the Sunday school proved both interesting and instructive.

Each class had prepared something for the program and the exercises of each class was a surprise to all the others. The result was a well balanced program of Scripture reading, prayer, songs, recitations and reading by the members of the adult and intermediate departments.

After this the nine pupils graduating from the primary department marched in from their room with the three boy graduates in the van, bearing a banner in blue and gold with this inscription: "God gave us Minds His Words to Learn." They took their seats in a semi-circle on the platform and gave a varied program showing that they had learned among other things the Ten Commandments, the Apostles' Creed, 23rd Psalm the Beatitudes and the Lord's Prayer. They also sang some of our standard hymns, which they memorized.

The rendition of all these showed the painstaking work of the Primary superintendent, Mrs. C. K. Hendrix, and her helpers, Mrs. Della Sage and Miss Jennie Goodwin.

At the close of their program each graduate was presented with a neat diploma by the superintendent, J. M. Anderson, coming from the Sunday school, and the pleasing exercises closed with the benediction by Rev. J. B. Santee.

Swap Florida For California Awhile

Comrade Reece and wife left St. Cloud on Monday for California, where they will spend the summer and will probably be back in the fall.

Lot Cleaning Ordinance Passed by City Council

The City Council met on June 12 in regular session with the following present: J. I. Cummings, president pro tem; O. L. Buckmaster, L. W. Farris, D. H. Gill and F. B. Kenney.

Minutes of previous meetings (regular and board of equalization) read and approved.

Reports of City Clerk, Tax Collector and Treasurer for May, read. Moved by Farris and seconded by Buckmaster that the reports be accepted and placed on file. All yea.

Treasurer's report shows balance of $1,834.01 in all funds.

Moved by Kenney and seconded by Farris that Lot Cleaning Ordinance be placed on its second reading and put on its final passage. All yea.

Lot cleaning ordinance read. Roll call on final passage, all yea.

Moved and seconded that rules be suspended and visitors allowed to address council. All yea.

Mrs. Hendrix, on behalf of the Ladies' Improvement Club asked the council to permanently exempt their lots, 4, 5, 6 and 7, block 160, from city taxes and also to pay for the sidewalk constructed along same lots. Mrs. Hendrix was asked to present their request in writing.

Request from Clark and Cellar asking permission to burn brush on lots 4, 5, 6 and 7, block 160. Moved by Farris and seconded by Buckmaster that Clark and Cellar be given permission to burn brush on above lots under the direction of the Superintendent of Streets. All yea.

Bids were opened for the construc-

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SAD ACCIDENT IN WHICH LIFE OF YOUNG MAN SNUFFED OUT

A very sad accident occurred at Penn's Grove, N. J., on May 29th. Clifford Wright Billingsley was out canoeing on the Delaware river with his friend Floyd Sawyer, and when about 200 feet from shore Clif rose to move forward in the canoe which suddenly overturned and both were thrown into the water. They clung to the canoe for some time waiting for help, when Clif, who was a good swimmer, decided to swim to shore. He had gone about a hundred feet when he was seized with cramps, and uttering a shout he sank. A few minutes later help arrived and Sawyer was rescued. Attempts were made to get Clifton by diving, but he could not be located, and it was only after the river was dragged that the body was recovered.

Clifford W. Billingsley was a son of Clarence Billingsley, who was formerly in partnership with Alec Johns, of St. Cloud, in the novelty works.

Clif, as a youngster was well known in St. Cloud. When the city first started he was one of the enterprising "kids" who sold "Grit," and he was an adept salesman at that. Until three weeks prior to his death he had been a pupil in the eighth grade in Allegheny City, when he went to Pennis Grove to work in the DuPont Powder Mills.

At the time of his death he was 17 years old, and a very active and popular member of the Boy Scouts organization. As we remember him he was a good, clean, lovable boy, and we sincerely condole with his parents at his untimely death.

Fishing Party Given a Thorough Soaking on Way to Lake Joe

Mr. L. E. Firkins and son and Miss Goldie Firkins, Mr. Sam McBeth, wife and family and M. Nourse and family went on a fishing trip on Friday last to Lake Joe and arrived at their destination just in time to get a good, old-fashioned soaking before they put up their tent. Miss Goldie caught her first fish on this occasion and they say it was a good one. All had a fine time and they say that they caught all the fish they could eat, but perhaps they could have eaten more had they caught them. This eating all the fish and not having any to bring home is too thin for us.

News has just been received of the demise of Mr. Tracey, who was with us for some months last winter. Mr. Tracey was a prominent member of the Wheat Exchange of Minneapolis, Minn. Mrs. Tracey's brother, Mr. W. H. Tunnicliffe, and wife, who have spent several winters in St. Cloud are with Mrs. Tracey in Minneapolis.

PATRIOTS OF ST. CLOUD PAY HOMAGE TO THE AMERICAN FLAG

Flag Day was celebrated in St. Cloud, the whole town being decorated. In the afternoon a meeting was held at the G. A. R. Hall, at which speeches were made by Mr. Durham, Mr. Hall, Mr. Sam Brammar and Mr. Farris. All touched on the patriotism and love of the flag and the necessity for preparedness, and all the speeches were loudly applauded. A good social entertainment was also given.

Plans for July 4th Celebration Discussed at Meeting

A meeting was held according to appointment at the Carlson Hall on Monday evening to consider matters relating to the Fourth of July celebration, at which a large number of our citizens were present. The finance committee reported that they had met with success and had received an appropriation from the Board of County Commissioners for one hundred dollars to be used towards the expenses. They also reported that a further sum had been pledged; also that many had not been called on for subscriptions.

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Report of County Commissioners' Recent Meeting

We much regret to state that we are unable at the time of going to press to obtain the report of the last meeting of the county commissioners at which the St. Cloud bond issue and road question were discussed. We would, however, sooner delay publication of this until next week pending the official report of the proceedings.

Mrs. Henry Dale celebrated her birthday at Rosedale Cottage on Friday last. Mrs. Dale was one of the very first to come to St. Cloud and was at the first St. Cloud hotel when it burnt down on December 22, 1909.

CANNING OUTFIT INSTALLED ON EVERY FARM SUGGESTED

Griswold and Teasdale, two farmers with large holdings near Lake Worth, started a cannery for tomatoes about four weeks ago and with a small outfit accomplished excellent results. The Lake Worth Herald of last week tells that they bought what is called a "field outfit," for $6.50, and beginning in a very modest way, managed to put up eight cans of tomatoes the first day. They soon increased the output to 100 cans a day, and recently stopped work having put up 7,000 cans of fine tomatoes and have had no trouble in placing their goods at a good price. Small canneries are reported to be an excellent investment in all parts of the state. It is recommended also that a canning outfit be installed on every good-sized farm, so that the surplus may be put up for home use. Twenty years ago the housewife that did not provide with canned and preserved and dried stuff for the winter had to go without, to a great extent. The corner grocer was obliging, but canned goods were high but not over plentiful. Nowadays it is so easy to phone for a dozen cans of this or that and a few glasses of jelly or marmalade, that the average housewife don't think it worth the trouble to put up anything. But the loss is her own, and her family's, for the home-made and prepared stuff is always better and certainly saves money for the establishment.—Times-Union.

O'Berry's Country Home Reduced to Ashes Tuesday

The handsome country home of J. F. O'Berry, two and one-half miles south of Kissimmee, was totally destroyed by fire Tueday morning. About 8 o'clock flames were discovered on the roof of the kitchen and it is supposed to have caught from the roof. A brisk breeze was blowing in the direction to carry the flames directly over the main portion of the house and the combined efforts of the family and the many friends who hurriedly motored to the scene of the conflagration availed little. The house, a frame structure of twelve rooms, was a total loss and it is said covered with only a small insurance. A few pieces of furniture were saved.

It is not known at this time whether Mr. O'Berry will rebuild his residence.

Mr. J. D. O'Berry and his family have been for several years very welcome visitors to our town of St. Cloud and we sincerely sympathize with them in the loss of their property.

Mr. Alonzo Linderman who recently purchased the Atwell and Croft houses in Doop's Addition, is making large improvements on both.

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NEW ZEALAND WOOD CHOPPER FIRST IN NEW WAR CONTEST

A new form of sport at the front, in the shape of an exciting tree felling competition "somewhere in the woods," is described by Mr. Percival Phillips, the special correspondent of the Daily Express, with the British armies in the field.

It began, he says, with a friendly argument in a forest about the best method of cutting down a tree. The French woodsman admitted that the Maori was nimble and expert, but for his part he preferred a heavier axe and the less wasteful policy of shearing the trunk off close to the ground, thereby gaining at least three additional feet of good timber.

The Maori carried his opinion of French woodmanship back to the trenches with his load of timber, and the Anzacs took it up. Australian bushmen and New Zealanders found that they differed on certain points of procedure. Then the Canadians heard of it, and stalwart log cutters from the Yukon had a word to say about the methods of the Northwest.

Thus a competition was inevitable. Who shall agree when experts differ? Canadians, Australians, New Zealanders, Maoris and Frenchmen agreed to pit their axes against each other in a contest of skill. The meeting place was chosen, the trees marked, programmes printed and an arena laid out with seats for all who cared to come. No less distinguished a warrior than General Birdwood consented to take charge of the proceedings. As he indicated, the army needed wood, and this was a pleasant and instructive way of getting it.

The tournament began at ten in the morning in the heart of a fine old forest. There were five competitions, one of tree felling by groups; an exhibition of felling by the French cutters regularly employed in the forest; a log chopping contest; a competition of axemanship and one of crosscut-sawing. It was a tournament of experts, watched by experts. I do not suppose there has been a more critical audience than the picturesque assemblage of sun-baked Anzacs, swarthy Maoris, broad shouldered Canadians and the sturdy old French wood cutters who were the hosts of the forest and did the honors with befitting courtesy and kindliness.

Even more instructive than the tree cutting itself was the spirit of good fellowship which prevailed among these craftsmen gathered together from the ends of the earth. The French inhabitants of the British army zone get on particularly well with the Canadians and Anzacs. They like the breezy demonstrativeness of the men from the Dominions—and this feeling of cordiality was greatly intensified by this meeting in the forest.

Queenslanders who knew no French exchanged wholly intelligible comments with grey-bearded "Bucherons" of the Pas-de-Calais; to see a Maori and an ancient wood cutter interpreting each other's signs was to realize the slight importance of being a linguist. Perfect understanding was established between the men of the forest as they sat under the beeches and watched one tree after another totter and fall with a crash.

The partisans of each group of competitors gave them cheery encouragement. There were three groups of Canadians, two of Australians and one of local French woodsmen, each group having its own trees marked by a distinguishing colored band. Unfortunately the competing teams could not embrace representatives of all the best talent, for some of the units of Anzacs and Canadians are engaged in other duties in the front trenches. Had all the Dominion troops been available certain experts busy for the moment with hand grenades and sniping operations would have wielded an axe instead.

Service axes were used by all the competitors, save the French foresters, who preferred a domestic pattern of considerable heavier weight. Some of the Dominion entrants declared frankly that they could have made a much better showing with a heavier axe. Nevertheless, their records were very creditable.

New Zealand won the tree felling contest—each group to cut down three trees, the time being taken for each separate group—the trio being brought to the ground in twenty-two minutes and forty seconds. As soon as the axeman felled his tree he joined his neighbor on the next, so that all three were chopping furiously at the remaining tall elm.

Australia came second, bringing down three trees in thirty-one minutes and eight seconds, while Canada was third with forty-five minutes and twenty-two seconds. It must be remembered that the Canadian team had to be changed at the lsat moment owing to the original competitors being called away on other duties.

The Australians proved themselves the fastest log choppers and their neighbors from New Zealand were close behind. Canada won the honors at crosscut-sawing and again New Zealand was second.

Three lithe French boys were the competitors in the exhibition of tree felling by native woodsmen. They were given comparatively small trees which they cut down with tremendous vigor, amid sympathetic cheers from the men of the Dominions, and there were more cordial cheers from An-Anzacs and Canadians when Berthe and Desire Albert were called forward to receive the first and second prizes from General Birdwood.

The best axeman proved to be a Maori and a French Canadian gained second place.

General Birdwood made a little speech, pointing out the advantages of sportsmanship, and the tournament ended in informal discussions between the champions and their adherents, which proved conclusively that each method of cutting a tree was without doubt the best.

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Summer Garden Furnishes a Variable Diet

Why not plant a good summer garden? Many people think it impractical to raise summer vegetables in Florida. W. L. Floyd, professor of horticulture in the University of Florida suggests gardens to furnish a variable diet during the hot summer months. A large number of vegetables grow well during the summer and everybody should have at least some of them.

Professor Floyd says that field corn planted at intervals of several weeks will give roasting ears during most of the summer. The corn with white kernels is preferred by most people.

Okra is a true hot weather plant, and with proper care will bear all summer. The aphis or plant louse is troublesome but can be controlled by the use of tobacco extract.

The eggplant is another hot season plant and is very easy to raise. Peppers are about as easy to raise as eggplant and are cared for in about the same manner.

There are several types of beans that are adapted to the summer garden, such as the pole, lima, both bush and climbing, known as the sieva bean, that came from South Carolina.

Almost every garden contains sweet potatoes but they are usually late maturing ones. If early slips are used a much earlier crop can be had. By sending to some grower who makes a business of raising slips for early markets one can have potatoes in June. The Triumph and Jersey are two of the early types of sweet potatoes.

During the hot months a mess of greens sometimes tastes good and a planting of collards will satisfy this hunger.—Agricultural News Service.

Chicks Died of Grief

In the case of incubator chicks there usually is a loss of twenty-five per cent of those hatched before they arrived at the stage of featherdom. According to the theory of a student at the Milwaukee County Agricultural school, this loss is because they die of grief caused by the absence of a mother. The student asked the instructors at the school to let him try an experiment with the next brood.

He placed feather dusters about the pen where the fresh hatched chicks were placed. The imitation saved the chicks and today the school issued a bulletin announcing that continued experiments have proved that the feather duster imitation mothers this year reduced by half the usual death rate of the chicks.

IT MAKES A DIFFERENCE

"Do you want your boy Josh to get into politics?"

"It all depends," replied Farmer Corntassel, "on whether he's too smart to mix in, or whether he ain't smart enough."

A Great Problem Properly Approached

When a business man undertakes a great project, such as the safe and regular crossing of the Atlantic by aeroplane, as Mr. Rodman Wanamaker has done, it becomes a matter of prime importance. Mr. Wanamaker is not seeking solely to make the initial flight across the ocean, but to bring long distance air navigation into reality.

This adds additional interest to the formation of the America Trans-Oceanic Company, which has been put into being for the purpose of continuous experiments, and has for its goal the solution of the problem which may easily be the next great accomplishment in this young century of wonderful achievements. He is young, patriotic and with ample means. Mr. Wanamaker has gone about the solution of this alluring problem in the right way.

295,000 Seals Are Killed

St. Johns, N. F.—As a direct result of one of the most successful seal hunting seasons on record, the New Foundland Agricultural Department has enacted restrictions designed to prevent the extermination of the animals in the waters about the island. Under the new law large steel steamers, such as have been used extensively during the last few years, are prohibited from engaging in sealing. The Florizel took 46,000 pelts, the largest number ever secured by a single ship, and yielding a profit of $130,000. The new restrictions will make it impossible to use a vessel capable of carrying more than 25,000 pelts. The total catch for this season was 295,000 seals, valued at $650,000.

Q. E. D.

My doctor told me I would have to quit eating so much meat.

Did you laugh him to scorn?

I didn't at first, but when he sent in his bill I found he was right.—Washington Star.

Social Barriers Are Leveled By the War Now Ravaging Europe

How completely the war is leveling all social barriers in England was illustrated again at the last of the series of three parties given by the king and queen of England at Buckingham Palace for wounded sailors and soldiers. The function was attended by upwards of 800 men, who were afterwards entertained at a variety show provided by stars of the London stage in the riding school of the royal mews.

Practically all of the members of the royal family excepting the king and queen helped wait on the guests of the tea party. Among the royal waitresses who served and chatted with the guests, taking great interest in their individual stories of adventure at the front or at sea, were the king's daughter, Princess Mary; the Princess Royal, the Princess Christian, the Princess Maud, the Princess Victoria, Princess Arthur of Connaught and the Duchess of Teck.

The king and queen spent two hours moving among their guests and making solicitous inquirier, the sovereign evincing special interest in clearing up particular points as to charges and counter charges in battles that are now historic and reflecting the thorough manner in which he had familiarized himself with the strategy of war. Queen Alexandra, widow of the late King Edward VII, seemed everywhere in evidence and an object of particular affection.

Addressing the bluff-looking soldier on attempting to rise to greet him, the king said: "Sit down, my good fellow; you've made your sand for us and in the very best way." Looking toward the best viands, the king added: "But mind you, stoke up well."

It was an afternoon of gaiety, of unrestrained laughter and of good fellowship from which all formality was banished and in which the king and queen and Queen Alexandra joined unrestrainedly.—N. Y. Herald.

Congress Is Scared to Death

Many members of Congress had the scare of their lives the other day, though few will admit it. Each of the 531 Senators and Represematives received in the morning mail a pasteboard box enclosing a queer-looking section of nickle tube about three inches long. At the end of the tube was a small metal lever. The overwrought imagination of frightened solons readily conceived the notion that it must be an infernal machine designed, by appealing to the congressmen's curiosity, to induce him to try to turn the little lever on the end and thus blow himself up. Some of the members made haste to put the contraption in the water basins in their rooms and then turn on the water. A few threw the devices out of the window, fully expecting them to blow up the sidewalk when they hit. Later it was discovered that the sending of these tubes through the mail was not an effort on a wholesale scale to blow up congress. A pneumatic tube manufacturing concern, who wishes to sell its tubes to the government for handling the mails, took this means of advertising their wares. The curious device was a miniature section of a tube and was designed as a paper weight.

Now there is no member of congress who will admit that he was in the least bit scared but, as a matter of fact, several of the Ohio members were frightened into almost a blue funk.—Florida Meteor.

SHOES PANTS

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GENTS' FURNISHINGS

SHIRTS HATS

WHAT THE SOLDIERS THINK OF OUR WOMEN---LOUIE ARNOLD

It appears to me to be only reasonable and rational to expect stories of the glory and sorrow of war, of the grandeur, fascination, and horror of battle from the lips of a newly made V. C. who has just come home straight from the fields of deadly strife.

I dined last night with a hero of Gallipoli, but they were not tales of a deathless courage and bravery of the gallant Australians and 29th Division that he told me, but of the wonderful "new" woman he had found at home.

"From the picture papers and magazines we get," he said, "I was fearing that I should only meet with the Amazons they portray, the women who are adopting man's unsightly clothes to do his work in and aping his abominable manners. And, bless your bonny wee faces," he added, "though you're all so hard at work, you're still the same, and yet so different!"

"That's Irish," I laughed.

"And it's Irish I am," he said, and no one would have denied it had he listened as I did to his wonderful rhapsodies of the "new woman." No praise was too high, no effusion too extravagant.

"We fellows 'out there,'" he confided to me, "have felt mighty proud of you women at home working so nobly, as you are, to keep things on the go. Why," he exclaimed enthusiastically, "It's you who are winning the war—not we fellows—for we are only using the shot and shell that you are providing for us. We should be helpless babies without you! You are helping us to fight, and," he added tenderly, "you're helping us to suffer and to die as men, for it's the thoughts of you, memories of you, love for you, which remained to the end."

Then he told me of the vague fears which had assailed him and his comrades "out there," lest work had robbed their women of their natural charm and had crushed the sweet womanliness that they loved, the memory of which they carried in their hearts.

"But it hasin't," he exclaimed fervently; "thank heaven you're still women and not the sexless, mannish creatures we had expected would evolve from such a revolution in your lives! "Secretly," he said, "I was absolutely dreading the 'war woman.'"

"We're all war women," I reminded him.

"Yes," he agreed, "and that's the wonderful part of you all—you're still women; and never before," he assured me, "have women looked so attractive and sweet."

"Absence makes—

"Oh no," he interrupted, "it isn't that. Work has given you a new air, a charming savoire-faire that used to be lacking."

"You really think we've changed?"

"Changed?" he said. "Of course you have. You're better dressed, more sympathetic to each other—and to us, freer and finer in your movements, more generously minded, and, above all," he added, "you're more lovable than ever."

I threw him a grateful smile, for war work has roughened and coarsened my hands and robbed me of many an hour I coveted for my toilet. But I looked at him, young and full of life, safely returned from the trenches where life and death stalk sids by side with the blood-red ribbon of honour on his breast and his right arm hanging inert and lifeless, and I was proud to have had an opportunity to "do my little bit" to help.

"When we read out there of the women chauffeurs, women police, women gamekeepers, of women on the railways and in the factories, we shuddered, and even wrote epitaphs to the girls we had left behind. But," he continued, "I very quickly realized that out of the timid and ornamental but certainly useless woman of prewar days a new and far more wonderful creature has evolved—a being with all the charms of womanliness and the capabilities and courage so long associated with man alone."

Then he naively confessed to the time he spent in waiting specially for an omnibus with a conductress in charge—("It's such a joy to see them with their smart uniform and serious air")—and how he visited the large stores merely for the pleasure of watching the girls at work on the lifts or as commissionaires, or driving the vans.

"We, little knowing, spoke of her as a 'job-stealer'—an interloper," he exclaimed.

"And now?" I queried.

"Now I know her for the staunch, true worker she is. I have watched her, and know full well that she is straining every effort, not to 'pinch' man's work as we had so foolishly imagined, but to help to win the war, to bring the men back again. That noble determination is written on every face of the woman worker and is expressed in her eager willingness to accept even the most unenviable work. It is the keynote of the success of the employment of women. And I am letting the 'boys' know it!"

It was good to hear that some of our fighting men understand the incentive that is urging us.

Louie Arnold.

A Curious Hybrid

A curious milch animal, a cross between a goat and a wild deer, owned by a Cuban named E. H. Bogart, is described in Farm and Fireside.

"The mother of this hybrid is a pure white goat. The father is a wild deer that frequented the fields near the place where the goat was kept.

"The offspring of the deer and goat is colored almost identically like her father, but in horns and conformation she closely resembles her mother. This hybrid has produced about two quarts of milk daily for nearly a year, feeding mostly on native weeds and vines."

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VIVID DESCRIPTION OF JUTLAND BATTLE BY DESTROYER OFFICER

Survivors arriving at Edinburgh, from British destroyers, which made a massed attack on a German battleship in the Jutland battle are convinced that they sent to the bottom the dreadnought Hindenburg, the pride of the German navy.

These sailors say the Hindenburg was struck successively by four torpedoes while the destroyers dashed in alongside of her hull, tearing her to pieces until the mighty ship reeled and sank.

An officer from one of the destroyers gave the following graphic account of the battle:

"The ships of the grand fleet went into action as if they were going into maneuvers. From every yardarm the white ensign flew, the flag which is to the sailor as the tattered colors were in days of old to a hard pressed regiment. That it went hard with the battle cruisers is apparent, but one ship cannot fight a dozen. They had fought a great fight, a fight to be proud of, a fight which will live longer than many a victory.

"We fought close into the foe, and if anything is certain in the uncertainties of naval battles it is that we gave at least as good as we got. We passed along the line of German ships some miles away and let off broadside after broadside. The air was heavy with masses of smoke, black, yellow, green and every other color, which drifted slowly between the opposing lines, hiding sometimes friend and sometimes foe. The enemy ships were firing very fast, but watching the ships in front one came to the conclusion that the shooting was decidedly erratic. Again and again salvos of shells fell far short of the mark, to be followed immediately by others which screamed past high in the air.

"I watched the Iron Duke swung through the seas letting off broadside after broadside, wicked tongues of flame leaping through clouds of smoke. The din of battle was stunning, stupendous, deafening, as hundreds of the heaviest guns in the entire world roared out at once. Great masses of water rose high in the air like waterspouts, reaching as high as the masts, as the salvos of German shells fell short or went over their target. Now and then a shell found its mark, but it left me absolutely cold—as is its effect on each man at a time like this. A dozen men may be knocked out at one's side. It makes no difference. It is war.

"It was impossible to see what was happening among the ships of the foe. The smoke obscured everything so effectually that one could only get a glimpse at intervals when a kindly wind blew a lane through the pall. It was apparent that the best ships of the enemy were engaged, but how many neither eye nor glass could make one. The number was certainly large. It was equally impossible to see what damage we were causing. Only the high command knew the progress of the battle. That the damage inflicted on the German ships was great does not admit of any doubt. At one time two vessels red with fire gleamed through the smoke.

"It is a curious feeling to be in the midst of a battle and not to know to which side fortune leans. Where only a few ships are engaged it is different. Our own losses were known with some degree of exactness, but even that was uncertain. Thus at one time it was thought the Lion had been lost, as she did not answer any call. It developed that her wireless had been destroyed.

"With dusk came the great opportunity of the mosquito craft, and both sides made use of it to the full. It was in this way that one of the saddest of many sad incidents occurred. A destroyer, true to its name, dashed for the big enemy ships. She soon got into effective range and loosed her torpedoes with deadly effect on a German battleship. The ship went under and the destroyer raced for safety, the commanding officer and others standing on the bridge indulging in mutual congratulations at their success. At that moment a shell hit the bridge and killed the entire group.

"It was curious to note the effect of the fight on the sea. Calm at the beginning the water soon looked as if it were under the influence of a gale, so great was the turmoil caused by the leviathan ships ploughing at terrific speed through the waves. The sea seemed also to be stiff with fish killed by the shells bursting in the water.

"We fought what was in a way a great battle. Both the grand and the terrible were present to an almost overpowering degree. As a spectacle it was magnificent. How awful it was was impossible to realize until after the fever of action had subsided, until the guns were silent and the great ships some battered, others absolutely untouched, were ploughing home on the placid sea."

This account was published in the Scotsman. After describing the battle itself the officer reverted to incidents preceding it, saying:

"I shall never forget the stir that passed through the men on board the ships of the Grand Fleet when that inspiring message was received from the battle cruiser squadron a great many leagues away: 'I am engaged with heavy forces of the enemy.' One looked on the faces of his fellows and saw that the effect was electrical. The great ships swung into battle order and the responsive sea rocked and churned as the massive vessels raced for what were virtually enemy waters. As the Grand Fleet drew near the scene of action the smoke of battle and mutter of guns came down on the winds. The eagerness of the men became almost unbearably intense, and it was a blessed relief when our guns gave tongue."

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Better Cattle Can Be Raised in Florida

A few years ago the idea of importing native livestock was poohpoohed. Cattle raisers thought that the Florida steer could not be improved profitably. Then, too, there was little incentive for stockmen to build up their herds under open free range conditions. There have been a few men, however, who believed that improvement could be made profitably. During the last fifteen years they have demonstrated what can be done by bringing in good blood.

These men have succeeded in the face of discouragements. Many of the pure-blooded animals which they brought in were from above the quarantine line, and some of them died Not more than a dozen men in the entire state dared to enter this pioneer field, but now that they have shown what can be done in improving native cattle others will follow. Purebred livestock has come to stay. The scrub steer will pass sooner or later.

Some work remains to be done, however, to obtain widespread results with herd improvement. John M. Scott, animal industrialist to the University of Florida Experiment Station, mentions some of the most important: Do not overstock the range but give the grass a chance to become better established; provide dry forage or ensilage to tide animals through winter; buy good breeding stock to encourage men to raise the breeding animals; do not mix blood or use grade or scrub steers, and above all, eradicate the tick.—Agricultural News Service.

The Door and the Gate

Oh, I was born too soon, my dear, or
were you born too late,
That I am going out the door while
you come in the gate?
For you the garden blooms galore,
the castle is en fete;
You are the coming guest, my dear—
for me the horses wait.

I know the mansion well, my dear,
its rooms so rich and wide;
If you had only come before I might
have been your guide.
And hand in hand with you explore
the treasures that they hide;
But you have come to stay, my dear,
and prepare to ride.

Then walk with me an hour, my dear,
and pluck the reddest rose
Amid the white and crimson store
with which your garden glows—
A single rose—I ask no more of what
your love bestows;
It is enough to give, my dear—a flower
to him who goes.

The House of Life is yours, my dear,
for many and many a day,
But I must ride the lonely shore, the
Road to Far Away;
So bring the stirrupcup and pour a
brimming draught I pray,
And when you take the road, my
dear, I'll meet you on the way.

—Henry Van Dyke.

School Pupils Bring Old Newspapers

St. Louis, Mo.—The high school price of waste paper caused by the general rise recently in price of paper stock is adding substantially to the funds of the Board of Education and of the Teachers' Benevolent Association. The teachers' fund is being added to from the sale of old newspapers brought to school each day by the children, while the Board of Education gets the proceeds of the sale of the waste paper picked up in the school rooms at the close of each day.

Since the date when the children were asked to begin bringing a newspaper a day to school the schools have sold old newspapers at an average price of 47c a hundred pounds. At this rate the value of paper collected in about two weeks would be nearly $400.

Changes in the Pension Roll

he total number of pensioners on the pension roll May 31st, 1916, was 712,485, of which number 365,609 were pensioners of the Civil war. During the month the roll was decreased by 2,958.

Four Reasons Why Florida Is Forging Ahead of California

SOIL

As to soil conditions, they differ vastly in those states. It is generally conceded by those who have studied the merits and demerits of the soil that of Florida is better adapted to citrus fruit raising. The Florida and California soils are both fertile for truck farming, but in California the business is carried on at a great expense on account of its dependence on the irrigation system, while in Florida irrigation is not necessary, except in case of a long drought.

Unless I am greatly mistaken, cotton, corn and other general crops are not grown in California, and the culture of California's fancy or staple products may be attempted here. In fact, Florida can produce almost everything and its diversity of products is attributed to the productivity of soil and the number of growing days which ranges from 300 to 365. In deciduous fruits, hay, grain and nuts, California leads, but as we have just stated, hers may be ours for the effort.

Florida is 402 years old in white settlement and is the youngest of all the states in point of development, and has only one-tenth of its 35,000,000 acres of land under cultivation. While land sells cheap, values steadily advance from year to year. Citrus fruit land in Florida, well located, sells for from $50 to $150 per acre, whereas the same character of soil in California, similarly located and with or without water rights, sells for from $1,000 to $1,500 per acre.

Hereto are appended a few of the testimonies of those who actually saw, sampled and investigated the character of land both in California and Florida:

"My experience in Southern California and here satisfies me that this is a far better citrus country than California. The soil is better adapted to citrus fruit growing. It costs less to clear and prepare the land for planting, fruit can be successfully grown without irrigation, the fruit is of better quality and we are closer to market."—John F. Greene, of Tarpon Springs, Fla., formerly a lawyer living in Los Angeles, Cal., and owner of one of the most productive groves of the Monrovia district.

"I have never seen nor would I have believed citrus fruit would grow as it does here. You people are not raising fruit, it is simply growing because you permit it to do so and nature favors its growing here more than any other place I have ever seen."—George W. Kern, also of Tarpon Springs, who formerly was one of the largest growers of the Redland section of California.

"California soil will not produce as much citrus fruit per acre as Florida soil, nor as good."—Hon. Peter O. Knight, of Tampa, who went to California in 1912 and investigated conditions.

"We hear much of the Red River Valley, the Riverside district, the Redlands and Pomona. They are truly great. But in the production of citrus fruit I know from first hand information that Florida has all these outclassed. Several men have frankly stated to me that it is only a question of time until Florida would have no competitor in California."—J. F. Schumann of Orlando, back from a trip to Los Angeles.

"Their soil conditions are much different from ours. We have an open, porous, sandy soil, into which the heat penetrates rapidly and it is easily warmed up so that our trees never become as thoroughly dormant as theirs do. Their soil, on the contrary, is heavy, with quite an admixture of clay, and it takes a long time for the heat to penetrate. In our loose, sandy soil we grow a magnificent root system and the trees can be transplanted with naked roots. In California their soil is richer and heavier, so that the young plant does not require such a large amount of feeding roots and the result is that if they try to take up a tree and plant it with naked roots they lose a large proportion of them and the only way in which they can successfully make a tree live is to dig around it and put a sack under the roots, bringing it up around the trunk of the tree and tying it there so as to hold the earth around the roots. I think any Florida grower who will visit California and investigate conditions there carefully will come home feeling very much as I did—perfectly satisfied that his grove is in Florida rather than in California."—M. E. Gillett, of Tampa, who recently returned from a business trip to California.

"In California the man who has accumulated money enough to invest in any amount of land can well afford to place it in something that will give quicker and better results than fruit growing. In Florida you can get good land for about half what you would have to pay in California and the water question, since I have been here, does not seem to be so much as to how to get it, as how to dispose of it."—Geo. B. Duncan, of Manicopa, Cal., who will return to Florida and make his home permanently.

"I was never so thoroughly convinced that this section is a long way ahead of California in so many respects as I am today. Being in the realty business I was more than particular in my investigations than I would have been had I been on a mere pleasure trip. I was principally struck with the citrus indutry of that section of which we hear so much. I wish to say here that Florida can well lead California, first in the cost of production, and second in its groves and thirdly in its marketing."—F. E. Baxter, of Orlando, Fla.

"No state shows a greater variety of products, and no soil yields them more plentifully. Our variety is greater than that of California and where the two states compete, Florida's products are superior."—Jacksonville (Fla.) Times-Union.

In my next letter I will tell the Tribune readers of the comparison of California and Florida oranges and why the latter are the best.

F. E. P.

(To be Continued Next Week.)

AEROTAXIS AT 200 MILES PER HOUR IS PREDICTED BY COLONEL

Enormous strides in aeronautics in the course of the next few years are prophesied by Colonel Sir Charles Wakefield, the Lord Mayor of London, in an interview with a Daily Telegraph correspondent.

"The aeroplane," said Sir Charles, "although capable of flying faster than any bird, animal, fish or mechanically propelled vehicle, has not yet attained its full possible speed. While 140 to 150 miles an hour are now achieved, the near future will prove that 200 miles an hour or more will be the maximum speed."

The city business man, Sir Charles confidently asserted, living fifty to a hundred miles away from his office, dropping into his own private aeroplane, or calling an aero-taxi, would be at his country residence in less time than was now occupied in reaching the railway terminus from which he at present took train for home.

He fully expected that within a couple of years he would be able to reach his estate at Hythe, 70 miles from London, in half an hour by aeroplane.

"The principal cities of Europe will be brought very near to London," added the Lord Mayor. "One will fly to Paris on business in the morning and be back in time for dinner, using the aeroplane; or, if not in too great a hurry, or with a party, the rigid airship may be employed. Express trains will be used by only those to whom time is of little value. New York will be only twenty-four hours away, and machines will leave England for the United States regularly—daily.

"Again," said the Lord Mayor, postal facilities will be greatly increased. Letters posted in London before twelve o'clock midday will be delivered in Glasgow or in Paris the same night, and the parcel post carried by air will open up a great postal shopping industry."

Uncle Sam

(By Walt Mason)

A patient man is Uncle Sam, as mild and gentle as a lamb. He takes no stock in useless scraps, in swapping swats with brawling chaps, in pulling hair and blacking eyes, just for the sake of exercise. But there will be a roundup vast, when Uncle Sam gets riled at last. Because he's patient and serene, and has a meek and tranquil mien, the wranglers sometimes think it safe his grave and reverend corns to chafe. They steal his dog and shoot his cat, and throw large dornicks at his hat; their foolishment still further goes, until at last they tweak his nose. Then Uncle Sam takes off his coat, and rolls his sleeves to his throat, spits on his hands and cracks his heels, and hollers till the welkin reels. And straight way in a brace of shakes, he'll whip his weight in cats or snakes, as he has whipped them in the past, when Uncle Sam gets riled at last. You cannot always kick his shins, and think he'll wear forgiving grins; his ribs you cannot always poke, and think he'll take it as a joke. To outer darkness you'll be cast, when Uncle Sam gets riled at last.

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James J. Hill, the railroad builder, left an estate valued at approximately $10,000,000. His widow filed a petition in the probate court at St. Louis asking that his son, Louis W. Hill, be appointed administrator of the estate, as Mr. Hill left no will.

John R. McLean, owner of the Washington Post and of the Cincinnati Enquirer, died at his home in Washington, D. C., on the 9th inst. Mr. McLean had been suffering from a complication of diseases for several months. For many years he was a leader in Ohio politics. Mr. McLean's estate is estimated to be worth many millions of dollars.

We find on our exchange table the first number of the Florida Livestock Journal, and welcome the advent to this state of a newspaper exclusively devoted to the interests of the stock raisers of this community. The paper is well gotten up, and at the very reasonable subscription rate it should meet with the success it deserves.

Word comes from Tallahassee that the Bonheur Oil Company is boring daily at the rate of 120 feet. Heavy casing is being put in and it is the intention of operating this well to a depth of 3,000 feet. The drill is going through loose rock formation at the present time and after passing thru this stratum the company will expect to find a "gusher."

Without casting any reflections on the defeated candidates in the recent election we must congratulate those who were successful. We consider that the voters have elected a very efficient board for this county. Now the thing to do is for all inhabitants to join hands and help matters along. Let us put all party feeling all on one side and pull together.

Dr. J. Grant Lyman, who was arrested some time ago in St. Petersburg charged with defrauding investors in mining and oil stock, and who was extradited to the state of New York, was sentenced on the 9th inst. to serve one year and six months in the Atlanta penitentiary. Truly, a "long" sentence considering the enormity of the crime committed. This must be consoling to those whom he has swindled.

St. Cloud is planning to celebrate the Fourth of July in proper style The Tribune tells of an important meeting of merchants and business men and the appointment of several committees to look after details of the celebration. It is expected that the people from nearby will be invited to come in and help the St. Cloud folks enjoy themselves, and the invitation will be accepted without a doubt by great numbers of people who have attended St. Cloud affairs in the past.

The St. Cloud Tribune says that J. W. Smith, of that place, recently brought a stalk of corn to the Tribune office to show what sort of land there was about St. Cloud. The corn measured twelve feet high and had three developed ears, showing that it was not yet full grown. The corn is only a sample and indicates that St. Cloud has soil just suited to the cultivation of this staple crop. Florida will some day be raising corn to sell, and it will be a splendid time for the state. With a great many people the idea of Florida becoming a grain-raising state is improbable, but every years the evidence grows that Florida cannot only make good corn, but plenty of it.—Times-Union.

A PROGRAM FOR THE PRESS

—BY THE FLORIDA TIMES-UNION—

The St. Augustine Record, now that the campaign is over, proposes a program for the press of Florida, relieved as it will be for some time of political demands upon its space editorial gray matter. The Record's program is an admirable one which the Tribune cordially seconds, and we urge the newspapers of Florida to devote their columns and their influence henceforth for the betterment and advancement of the state's material, moral and educational interests, as outlined in the following from the Record:

With the cessation of political strife, Florida newspapers can now resume and continue:

To boost for Florida, first, last and all the time.

To tell the outside world of this state's wonderful resources.

To print every bit of information obtainable with regard to the cattle industry.

To help in the eradication of the cattle tick.

To assist the agricultural department of the State University by giving space to the bulletin service by that department.

To aid the farmer and grower in securing better transportation at fair and reasonable rates.

To continue the great campaign for improved highways.

To urge boards of county commissioners not only to build permanent roads but to provide for their maintenance.

To encourage and help in season and out of seasonu everything that has to do with the public school system of Florida.

To encourage the state authorities in continuing the drainage and development of the Everglades.

To assist in waging a campaign for the extermination of the English sparrow.

To encourage motion picture exhibitors to handle more films suitable for children, and to raise the standard of picture programs shown at all performances.

To stand for everything that is for the welfare and upbuilding of the community in which the newspaper is published.

This is only a partial program, but there is enough here to keep the average editor paying attention to his own business until he makes money enough to retire when the proverbial "rainy day" comes around.—Times-Union.

LOT CLEANING ORDINANCE PASSED BY CITY COUNCIL

(Continued from page 1.)

tion of sidewalks as per advertisement. Moved by Buckmaster and seconded by Farris that grades be established and profiles filed with clerk for guidance of contractors before letting contract for construction of the sidewalks. All yea.

Moved by Farris and seconded by Gill that clerk be instructed to re-advertise for bids for construction of sidewalks as soon as profiles have been filed by engineer. All yea.

Bids for clearing and caring for the City Park opened. Moved by Farris and seconded by Gill that the bid of Geo. J. Clark of one hundred dollars per year for caring for the park be accepted. All yea.

Mr. A. G. Durham, chairman of committee on arrangements for the Fourth of July celebration, appeared before the council asking for a donation if the council could make one, and that their committee be given charge of all street concessions for that day.

Attornew Crawford advised that the city could not legally make a donation of the kind but that the council might give the concessions for the streets on that day. Moved by Buckmaster and seconded by Kenney that the committee be granted street concessions for July Fourth, under direction of the mayor. All yea.

Moved by Farris and seconded by Gill that the clerk be be instructed to order two cars of best marl to be delivered one week apart. All yea.

Moved by Farris and seconded by Buckmaster that the following bills be allowed:

D H Gill, salary	$61.85
Kinzie Partin, do	45.00
F B Kenney, sal and sup	60.57
Z T McClay, spec police	2.00
Wm Bircher, sal	8.33
Crawford & Jarrell, retainer	25.00
M E Riggan, feed	55.45
St Cloud Pub Util Co, lights	21.87
Edd George, shop work	14.00
Ernest Vockrodt, strt wrk	18.70
Jno Fleming, salary	45.00
O L Buckmaster, sal and exp	17.17
J I Cummings, sal	16.67
W F McEndree, sal	70.00
L W Farris, sal	50.00
W B Makinson, hardware	82.25
St. Cloud Tribune, pub	3.12
Total	$598.98

Roll call, all yea.

Moved by Gill and seconded by Farris to recess to June 26th, 1916. All yea.

J. I. Cummings,
Pres. Pro Tem.

Attest:
F. B. Kenney, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance Providing For the Cleaning Up of Certain Lots and Assessing the Cost Thereof Against the Lots.

Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of St. Cloud, Florida:

Section 1. That all lots hereinafter named shall be cleaned up and put in proper condition on or before the 25th day of July, A. D. 1916.

Section 2. That the owners of said lots who fail to comply with the provisions of Section 1 of this Ordinance shall be deemed to be in default and the city shall have the power to secure the performance of said work at the approximate costs per lot as shown by amounts opposite lots hereinafter named, and assess such several amounts as a lien against the several lots.

Section 3. That the city council shall meet at 10:00 a. m. on the 15th day of July, 1916, at the city hall for the purpose of hearing objections from any person owning or interested in any of the lots hereinafter described to be specially assessed, and any owner or person interested in said lots who does not at such meeting present his objections in writing to the enforcement of this ordinance shall be deemed to have consented to its provisions.

Section 4. That the city treasurer shall be authorized to issue special assessment certificates payable in six months at the rate of 8 per cent interest per annum for the purpose of raising funds with which to pay for work done on defaulting property owners' land.

Section 5. That the city council have the power to contract for the performance of work on each lot separately or any number of lots, provided that when any contract shall exceed fifty dollars, the city shall advertise for bids and let the contract to the lowest responsible bidder. All bids to be accompanied by a certified check covering five per cent of said bid.

Section 6. That as soon as practicable after the completion of said work the city council shall by a resolution fix a special assessment against the property cleaned up at an amount not exceeding the actual cost of the work or the estimated special assessment stated therein, which special assessment shall constitute a lien against said property against which it is assessed, prior to all liens except taxes.

Section 7. That should it become necessary to collect any of the special assessments herein named through an attorney or by suit, a reasonable attorney's fee shall be assessed against the property on which such special assessment has been made in addition to the said assessment herein provided for.

Section 9. The lots hereinbefore referred to and ordered in Section 1 to be cleaned up and put in proper condition are as follows, and the estimated costs of cleaning up and putting in proper condition are shown opposite the several lots as follows:

Lots	Block	Cost Each
13, 14 and 15	172	$5.00
12	173	3.00
1 and 2	178	5.00
4	65	5.00
13 and 14	9	5.00
13	10	5.00
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24	11	1.50
4 and 5	12	3.00
11 and 12	12	5.00
15 and 16	13	5.00
11 17, 18, 19 and 20	14	5.00
15, 16 and 21	14	3.00
2, 5, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22	15	5.00
6	15	3.00
3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22	16	5.00
5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13 and 14	17	5.00
15, 16 and 17	17	3.00
4, 7 and 8	18	3.00
5, 6 and 9	18	5.00
3, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 21 and 22	42	5.00
23	42	3.00
1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 16, 17 and 18	43	5.00
19 and 20	43	3.00
2 and 24	44	5.00
3, 4, 7, 8, 13 and 14	44	3.00
17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22	46	1.50
22	47	5.00
5 and 6	47	3.00
7 and 8	47	1.50
9	48	3.00
17 and 18	48	3.00
1, 2, 18 and 19	49	5.00
5, 6, 15, 16 and 17	49	3.00
1 and 2	50	3.00
8, 11, 12, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24	50	5.00
3, 4 and 8	67	5.00
7	67	3.00
1 and 2	69	3.00
17, 18, 21 and 22	69	5.00
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Passed at open session of the council this the 12th day of June, 1916.

J. I. Cummings,
Prest. Council.

Attest:
Fred B. Kenney, City Clerk.

Approved this 12th day of June, A. D. 1915.

J. I. Cummings,
Mayor.

42-5t

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED UNDER SECTION 574 AND 575, GENERAL STATUTES OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

Notice is hereby given that Foster Newton, purchaser of Tax Certificates Nos. 302, 364, 363, 366 and 227, dated 7th day of July, A. D. 1913, has filed said certificates in my office and has made application for Tax Deed to issue in accordance to law. Said certificates embrace the following lands in Osceola county, Florida:

Lots 34, 47, 50, 63, 78, 84 and 98 of Seminole Land and Investment Company's Subdivision of Section 14, Township 26 South, Range 30 East, and Lot 40 of Seminole Land and Investment Company's Subdivision of Section 4, Township 27 South, Range 31 East.

The said lands being assessed in the name of: G. B. Caldwell; W. W. Kenney; Unknown; W. P. Treadwell and Unknown.

Unless said Tax Certificates are redeemed according to law, Tax Deed will issue thereon on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1916.

Witness my hand and official seal at Kissimmee, Florida, this 12th day of June, A. D. 1916.

J. L. Overstreet,
Clerk Circuit Court,
Osceola County, Florida.
(Circuit Court Seal.)

42-3t By James M Johnston, D. C.

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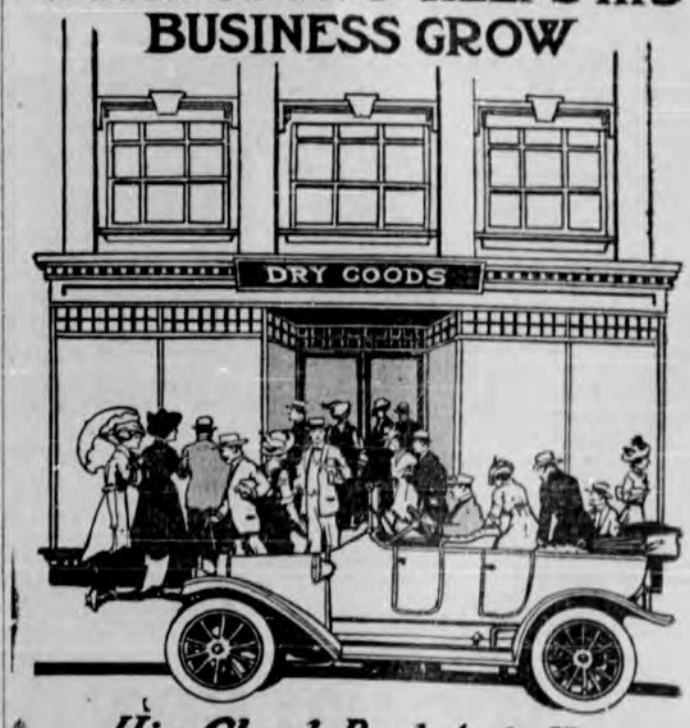
THIS MERCHANT BANKS WITH US AND HELPS HIS BUSINESS GROW



His Check Book Aids Him to Make Quick Trade Deals

ONLY NATIONAL BANK IN OSCEOLA COUNTY

Interest Paid on Time Deposits

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

St. Cloud, Florida

COMING VISITING GOING

ST. CLOUDLETS

LOCAL PERSONAL SOCIAL

Fire insurance, taxes. A. E. Drought.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn, who recently sold their residence on Jersey avenue left last week for Tennessee.

Cast your eye on our weekly program, on page five, at top of last column. 38-tf

Mr. Dacnell has accepted a position with W. Milar and is now in the grocery and meat business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace H. Fowler spent Monday in Orlando visiting Mr. W. E. Bishop, of North Orange avenue.

Just look at our ad on last page for Specials. 42-1t

Mr. M. H. Lahatte, representing the Keystone Type Foundry, of Atlanta, Ga., was in town on business on Monday last.

Ben Lorenz was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Philpott last Sunday. He returned to Kissimmee early in the evening.

Lloyd Harvey, of Kissimmee, was in town Sunday and Monday greeting his many friends. He is a former resident of this community.

Mrs. N. N. Chase left on Thursday last for Jacksonville, Florida, where she will remain with her daughters during a part of the summer.

Mrs. H. A. Coble left by the A. C. L. last week for several points in the North and West. She went on a visit to friends and will return here in the fall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Hendrix left for East Orange, N. J., on their regular summer outing. They will return probably the latter part of September.

Monday is "Hazards of Helen" day, the great railroad series, featuring Helen Gibson and the famous "Black Beauty. 38-tf.

Mr. Jacob Hotler is enlarging his cottage on the corner of Sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue. He is adding a two-story front to it and is otherwise improving the place.

G. A. Bleech, the grocery man of Pennsylvania avenue, returned on Saturday last from his Western trip. He said he was very anxious to get away, but that after a couple weeks' sojourn he was more anxious to get back. He is another one of the many who when away realize what a haven the Wonder City is.

S. W. Porter, real estate, insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Vreeland were entertained at tea last Sunday at Sunnyside Villa, the residence of Mrs. Jaques. They spent the evening there and had a good, enjoyable time.

Mr. Walter Scott left for northern points on Monday last. He has been in St. Cloud several years and yearns for a summer trip to his old summer haunts. He will return here in November.

Just look at our ad on last page for Specials. 42-1t

Mrs. M. B. Cushman is improving the two lots she recently added to her property on Florida avenue and with the Rev. Northrop motored to the Vreeland Nurseries and selected a lot of plants for her garden.

Mr. J. P. Morrill left this week for points in New Hampshire. He will return here some time in the fall. Mr. Morrill, who moved here from California about a year ago, likes St. Cloud and he says the climate in this section of Florida is ideal.

A letter was received last week by one of our correspondents from Mrs. Edna Sylvester, who is at present in Tennessee. The captain and his wife are feeling first rate but admit that Tennessee is not Florida. Mrs. Sylvester has a good position in a lumber office.

Judge J. O. Tomlinson has gone on his summer vacation accompanied by Mrs. Tomlinson. The Judge will visit in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Maine and Vermont. They propose to be absent two or three months but when the snow begins to fly will be safely back in St. Cloud.

A. S. Cole and wife left Tuesday for a two months vacation in the North, visiting their daughter in Cincinnati, two daughters in Hayworth, Ill., and Mrs. Cole's sister and a large brigade of nephews and grandchildren. They will visit their old home in Kentucky opposite Manchester, Ohio, where they have a son and more grandchildren, and Mrs. Cole a brother and sister with a good company of more relatives. They will return in time to augment the population of St. Cloud this fall and winter.

Be sure and get one of those 5c market baskets at Hargrave's, before they are all gone. 42-1t

The climate of St. Cloud is the most perfect in the world.

The residence of Rev. J. B. Santee facing the M. E. church is being treated to a coat of paint, the application of which greatly improves the appearances of the premises.

The latest feature in movies—the Selig Tribune. It is a newspaper of pictures from all over the world. Every Tuesday at Palm Theatre.

The United States Civil Service commission will hold an examination at Keenansville, Fla., on June 24th, as a result of which it is expected to make a certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of 4th class postmaster at Keenansville. The compensation of that office last year was $340.

Be sure and get one of those 5c market baskets at Hargrave's before they are all gone. 42-1t

J. D. Harris has had extremely fine luck with his garden this season in spite of the very dry weather. He has just dug his second crop of Irish potatoes, the first one having been planted on January 1st. His sweet corn and tomatoes have also been unusually fine.

Catholic church: Wednesday, June 21, Mass 7:30 a. m.; Thursday, June 22, Mass 6:30 a. m. 42-1t

Last Sunday at one of our Sunday schools the matter of the persecution of the Jews was brought up before the scholars and one little tot asked the teacher what she was. She replied that she was a Gentile, of course. "Well, teacher," she replied, "I am not. I am a Presbyterian," and then laughter followed.

Just look at our ad on last page for Specials. 42-1t

ROLL OF THE DEAD

SAMUEL BEAN

Samuel Bean was born at Mercer, Maine, April 23rd, 1845, and died at St. Cloud, Florida, the 12th day of June 1916.

He enlisted in Company K, of the 24th regiment of Maine Infantry, at Mercer Maine, September 10, 1862, and was honorably discharged on August 25th, 1863, at Augusta, Maine.

Three years ago the 19th of last March, he was married to the surviving widow, Alice Bryant Douglass Bean, of Maine. Together they came to St. Cloud in December, 1915, and had a pleasant little home on Delaware avenue, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. Brother Bean was a whole hearted, lovable, Christian man and a faithful attendant at the Methodist church here, taking part in all the services and always testifying to the grace of God in his heart. The pastor saw him an hour before he died, and he said he had perfect faith in the Lord Jesus Christ and trusted all to him.

H was buried in Mt. Peace cemetery at St. Cloud, Fla., Mr. Carlson having charge, and the sermon was preached by his pastor, Rev. G. H. Northrop. May the blessings of God rest upon all relatives and friends who survive him and mourn his loss.

Geo. H. Northrop, Pastor.

E. P. M. A. No. 17

The Elsie P. McElroy Auxiliary No. 17 of the Army and Navy Union held their regular meeting at their rooms in Masonic hall June 12th, at 2 o'clock. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, with Lady Commander Mary P. Doughty in the chair.

The meetings grow more interesting as the order increases. Many new members have been admitted to the Union and we hope for a fine showing at the end of the year.

At our meeting today Mrs. L. C. Weatherston was mustered in. After business being dispensed with the lady comrades marched in a body to Dr. Marine's ice cream parlors and held an ice cream and chatty social, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The next meeting takes place on June 26th. All members kindly attend.

Mrs. E. Vreeland.
Press Correspondent.

Wide Awake Class

The Loyal Daughters of the Christian Church was organized in March, 1916. They have been quite busy in completing the organization and have identified themselves with the loyal movement which works for the interest of organized classes.

The very name makes strong appeal. The class is in possession of a fine class picture of the founders of the movement. This class has also received their certificate of recognition from the International Sunday School Association, which labors for organization, education and evangelizaion.

This class is now thoroughly organized and has a vision of greater things and desire to specialize their work. The social feature as well as the spiritual is looked after. They meet twice each month to plan work and to become better acquainted with each other. They have already done some substantial work and several new members have been added.

The motto of the class is "Loyalty to Christ and to Others."

FATFELLERS NO REAL MATCH FOR SKINNYGUYS IN BALL SWATTING

Well, Ruby, it has happened. The Fatfellers and Skinnyguys pulled off their little ball game last Thursday. I sat with that hoary old veteran rooter, Uncle Josh, up on the highest roost of the bleachers and together we aggravated our already weary bones on the soft side of those two by ten by planks throughout the remaining acts of the game. You know, I didn't come in until about the sixth.

The first thing that I beheld was some individual in brown pajamas, and later I finally recognized it. It was that feller VanNatta, and of all the rigs for a ball player that was it. Leon Lamb, that cheerful cherub, was trying to fill the pitcher's box for the Skinnyguys (skinny is right) and to a man in the thicket he ought to be with the Boy Scouts.

To enumerate the merits and demerits of the entire aggregation would take up this whole sheet. Some were fierce and some were worse.

Carlson Going For Second

But the Skinnyguys put it on the corpulent ones nicely. I think the score was 18 to 16, so you can see there was some nifty fielding pulled off. This afternoon the Lollypops and Maypoles are going to play. The entire lineup is to be changed. They say Harry Todd, Paul Northrop and some other derelicts are to be there. So screw up your nerves and come along, we might see some real ball one of these days.

But say, I happened to have my camera with me and I used it at the psychological moment (get that?), and with fine results. It was when that man Carlson was on the bases. You know, he was on first, rhubarb and all, and Lord bless you honey, when he tore down to second it was like an avalanche. He was all right when he started, but oh, my, that awful finish! The picture I took shows him trying to put on brakes long after he had overrun second base. If you look hard you can see that he's away out in center field.

Doc Riddle Sys he got "Four Knocks"

I took another picture, girlie, and I herewith present it. This is of one feller which they call Doc, Doc Riddle, I believe. I would never pretend to know him anymore, so ashamed am I of him. He apologized to me after the game for his bum conduct, and tried to cheer me up by remarking, "Well, I got four knocks." True enough, he got nothing but "knocks" all the p. m. He did everything unbecoming a gentleman player in that he didn't do anything. That is the main reason why the Fatfellers got beat. I heard a lady say that he was most too fat to play with the Fats. I replied tha I, too, thought he was "too much encumbered with superfluous adipose tissue." And say, the lady looked at me rather queerly. "Oh well," I says to Doc, after the game, "Never mind, Doc, you're worse than the ones talking about you." And that seemed to help him.

CRAZY FAN.

PLANS FOR JULY 4th CELEBRATION DISCUSSED AT MEETING

(Continued from page 1.)

Until something more definite is known as to what amount is available for prizes the report of the entertainment committee was withheld but we were assured that something extra good in the shape of a program is on the string and that there will be many innovations this year.

Lynn Dougherty was appointed a committee on concessions.

The music committee had done considerable work but is also awaiting result of the canvass for funds before deciding as to what they can do.

The advertising and railroad committees reported that work was well under way and that there would be plenty of publicity given.

There were meetings of the various committees on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and a general meeting will be held again on Friday night at the Carlson Hall at 7:30.

Veterans' Association

The Veterans' Association met in the G. A. R. Hall on June 10th with President Kenney in the chair. Song, America. Prayer by the president, and the Lord's Prayer in unison. The choir sang Marching Through Georgia, the assemblage joining in the chorus.

Rev. Stewart of Tacoma, Wash., no soldier, but lost a brother and father in the service and therefore has a fellow feeling for the veterans, is filling the pulpit of the Presbyterian church.:

Collection taken for hall, $1.29.

Mrs. Marskie gave the following program for the social hour:

A Thousand Years, by the choir.

Recitation by Goldie Groves "Mother's On the Jury. For encore she gave a parody on Mary Had a Little Lamb.

Messrs. Schofield and Andrist gave two numbers on the fife and violin.

I Want To Go Back To Michigan, by A. G. Durham. For encore he gave A Long Way to Tipperary.

Aunt Jerusha On Woman's Rights, by Mrs. Ansbaugh in costume.

Reading by H. W. Illman, One For Both Flags.

Recitation by Mrs. Thompson, Bud Jackson's Fifth Wife. For encore she gave Out to Old Aunt Mary's.

Swiss Song by John Andrist.

Rev. Beaushamp Skit and German Medley on mouth organ and bones.

Second number, the Funny Side of a Pastor's Life.

Song by Blanche Eaton, Dear Old Southern Home.

Recitation by Mrs. Stilwell.

Music on the Dulcimer by A. A. Martin.

Decitation, Out of the Night, by May Holden.

Music on the Dutch piano, by A. A. Martin.

Flag of the Free, by choir.

Music by Mr. Dingle on the accordeon.

Ice cream was served by the young ladies' class of the Christian church in Moshier's store on Saturday afternoon.

Flag Day exercises by W. R. C. in upper G. A. R. hall June 14th.

Closed by singing Star Spangled Banenr.

J. M. Anderson, Sec.

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM AT THE PALM THEATRE

THURSDAY, June 15—Show starts 7 p. m. sharp. Francis X. Bushman in "Under Royal Parentage," a 2-reeler. Blanche Sweet and Lionel Barrymore in "Three Friends." "Mamma's Boys," comedy.

FRIDAY, June 16.—"The Millionaire's Son," a 3-reel Knickerbocker feature. Sis Hopkins in the "Frickle Fibbler's Finish."

SATURDAY, June 17—Richard C. Tavers and Betty Brown in "The Lightdearer," "Their First Divorce Case," and "A Ten Karat Hero," split reel comedy.

MONDAY, June 19 — Jewell Hunt in "Myrtle the Manicurist," a delightful comedy drama anin three reels. "The Record Run," an episode of the Hazards of Helen.

TUESDAY, June 20—"The Man Who Called After Dark," featuring Jack Drumeir and Vera Sisson, 2-reel drama. "Millionaire's Mistake," Ham and Bud Comedy.

WEDNESDAY, June 21—"The Greater Wrong," 3-act drama. "Pokes and Jaba" in a 1-reel comedy, "In the Ring."

IN CIRCUIT, SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, COUNTY OF OSCEOLA AND STATE OF FLORIDA.

VALIDATION OF BONDS

Special Road and Bridge District Number 2, Osceola County, Florida,

vs.

The State of Florida.

NOTICE TO SHOW CAUSE

To the Taxpayers and Citizens of Special Road and Bridge District No. 2, Osceola County, Florida:

You are hereby notified and required to show cause, if any you have, before his honor, James W. Perkins, at his office in DeLand, Florida, on July 7th, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., why the bonds in the above mentioned action should not be validated and confirmed, according to the statutes in such case made and provided.

J. L. OVERSTREET,
Clerk of Said Court.
42-4t

ADVERTISE IN THE TRIBUNE

WANT ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Guava and Paw-Paw plants. Also rose bushes, shrubs and flowers of many varieties. Also semi-tropical trees. Vreeland Nursery, Wisconsin and 12th. 39-tf

FOR SALE—Ford Touring Car. Inquire Bailey's Transfer. 41-tf

BEES FOR SALE—18 colonies in fine condition; 1½ and 2-story hive for extracting. Fine stock. G. L. Sawyer, St. Cloud, Fla. 42-tf

FOR SALE—Four town lots and four five-acre tracts, unimproved, price $600 cash. Write Mrs. M. M. Dudley, 1004 13th St, Douglas Ariz. 41-2tp

FOR SALE—5-acre tract; fenced, house and well on place; price $150. Box 667. 42-1t

FOR SALE—6-room cottage, furnished or unfurnished; within three blocks of depot. Five good lots with fruit and vegetables; also fifteen acres of good land three miles from town. Box 115, St. Clold, Fla. 42-1t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern home, rent reasonable. Inquire Box 24, St. Cloud, Florida. 34-tf

LOST

LOST—On Friday morning, June 9, a ladies' black umbrella, with gold and pearl handle, from which knob was off. Left in one of the business houses. Finder please leave at Tribune office. 42-1t

WANTED

WANTED—An invalid chair. Call at Tribune office for particulars.

LADIES, HOUSEKEEPERS—One Minute! The Shine Curtain Rod holds your curtain properly; won't sag; fits any window; no screws, tacks or nails required; guaranteed faultless; price prepaid ten cents. Agents wanted. Address J. Harnage, Trilby, Florida. 41-4t

ILLMAN CO. "Store News" Letter

To Our St. Cloud Friends:—

In my letter of June 8th I said I would in my next letter take up co-operation in the United States. Well, co-operation in this country began about the year 1847, with attempts to form a co-operative commonwealth near Boston. This was followed by the workingmen's Protective Union, which had in 1855 over 700 stores in New England and the Middle States. But the stores were not incorporated and not being fed on profits, gradually failed. The break-up being hastened by the Civil war. Then came the Patrons of Husbandry or the Grange, founded in 1866. The Grange inaugurated the system of trade discounts. The longer this system was tried the more unsatisfactory it became. In 1874 the Sovereigns of Industry became prominent. The old idea of selling goods at cost on credit soon wrecked their stores. Out of this experience, agitation and education the true principles of co-operation are beginning to be understood and put into practice. When properly understood, and adhering to the Rochdale System, co-operative distribution is proving a magnificent success. In my next letter I hope to finish "Progress in the United States" and briefly explain what co-operation is and what it is not.

This Saturday we will have the special 25c Devils Food cake. There will be the usual 50c size, also Maccaroons, Ladyfingers, and many other up to date delicacies. We want to announce that we are getting the bread delivery fairly well established and in a few days will have something of interest to tell you. We again call attention to our 20c bulk coffee. Try it. Hygea Coffee, 5-lb cans at 27c per pound. String beans delivered daily at 5c. We are giving 20c for eggs in trade. We have best grade of flour at rock bottom prices. The noted Fox River butter at 40c per pound. Give us your trade and we promise to put the crimp on the high cost of living.

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HOW MUCH OF YOUR SOIL DID YOU SELL IN THE ORANGE CROP?

Do you know how much of the three principal plant foods you shipped in your orange crop this year. The knowledge is important for an intelligent application of fertilizers. S. S. Walker associate chemist to the University of Florida Experiment Station, throws some light on the amount of plant food removed by a crop of oranges in the following statement:

"The Florida Grower of May 6, 1916, reports the total movement of oranges up to that date as 17,500 car loads. This is equivalent to approximately 6,335,000 boxes, or about 253,400 tons of fruit. Eighty-five per cent of this, or 215,390 tons consists of water, which cost the Florida fruit growers nothing, but there are also considerable amounts of plant food shipped out of the state in the orange crop.

"According to analyses made by the Chemistry Department of the Experiment Station, the Florida orange contains on an average 0.143 per cent ammonia, 0.054 per cent phosphoric acid, and 0.293 per cent potash. Figuring the totals for the entire crop, it is found that the last season's oranges have carried with them plant food equivalent to the following amounts of commercial fertilizers: 1,449 tons of 25 per cent sulphate of ammonia; 855 tons of 16 per cent acid phosphate; and 1,515 tons of 49 per cent sulphate of potash.

"Any grower who wishes to calculate the amount of plant food removed by his crop may do so by the following: Each 100 boxes removes the equivalent of 46 pounds of 25 per cent sulphate of ammonia; 26.5 pounds of 16 per cent acid phosphate; 47.8 lbs. of 49 per cent sulphate of potash."

Growers should take account of these figures when they are fertilizing their groves. These figures apply, however, only to the fruit and do not take account of the food which should be applied for new growth and some which necessarily is lost thru leaching.—Agricultural News Service.

Do You Not Know That

Rural sanitation is a health protection to the city dweller?

It's foolish to educate a boy and then let him die of typhoid fever?

The U. S. Public Health Service issues a free bulletin on the summer care of infants?

Exercise in the garden is better than exercise in the gymnasium?

Clean water, clean food, clean houses make clean, healthy American citizens?

The state of California has reduced its typhoid death rate 70 per cent in the past ten years?

Rats are the most expensive animals which man maintains?

It is estimated that the average manure pile will breed 900,000 flies per ton?

Efficient muzzling of dogs will eradicate rabies?

Bad temper is sometimes merely a symptom of bad health?

Insanity costs every inhabitant in the United States $1 per year?

The U. S. Public Health Service has proven that typhus is spread by lice?

Untreated pellagra ends in insanity?

In the lexicon of health there is no such word as "neutrality" against disease?

The death rate of persons under 45 is decreasing; of those over 45 it is increasing?

Today is always the best day to clean up?

Fresh air, food, rest—these three combat tuberculosis?

The defective citizen of today is oftimes the unhealthy child of yesterday?

Polluted drinking water causes many deaths?

An efficient health officer is a good community investment?

Insufficient sleep endangers one's health?

Bad teeth handicap children?

In the lexicon of health there is no such word as "neutrality" against disease?

Dirty refrigerators may make sickness?

The U. S. Public Health Service issues free bulletins on rural sanitation?

Overeating, constipation, lack of exercise, foul air, eye strain, may produce headache?

THE BACKBONE

The teacher of a class of small children recently gave a physiological lesson on the bones of the body. The time to ask questions had come.

"Will you tell me what the backbone is?"

The question was a poser, and no one ventured to reply.

Finally the teacher detected a gleam of hope in Sammy's face and smiled encouragingly at him.

"Well, Sammy?"

"The backbone is a long, straight bone. Your head sits on one end, and you sit on the other," answered Sammy.—Harper's Magazine.

One way to get fresh eggs is to get them "canned." Sounds paradoxical, but it's facts eggs are being canned by the Indianapolis Poultry Association.—Manatee Record.

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Twentieth Century Farming

At Lansdale, Pa., plowing at night by artificial light has been introduced, to make up for the delay caused by the late coming of spring. A tractor engine was employed for the purpose. It was fitted with an acetylene gas tank and a searchlight and by means of it and three shifts of workers the plowing was continued without interruption for forty-eight hours.

The Lansdale experiment was designed merely to meet an emergency. But we may yet see our up to date farmers employing tractors and artificial light regularly every spring. Certainly the farming of the future is going to be done on other lines than those of the past.

Give Us Men!

Give us men!
Men—from every rank,
Fresh and free and frank;
Men of thought and reading,
Men of light and leading,
Men of loyal breeding,
The nation's welfare speeding;
Men of faith and not of faction,
Men of lofty aim and action;
Give us men—I say again,
Give us men!

Give us men!
Strong and stalwart ones;
Men whom highest hope inspires,
Men whom purest honor fires,
Men who trample self beneath them,
Men who make their country wreathe them,
As her noble sons,
Worthy of their sires;
Men who never shame their mothers,
Men who never fail their brothers,
True, however false are others:
Give us men—I say again,
Give us men!

—By the Bishop of Exeter.

Wife (with newspaper)—It says here that men grow bald because of the intense activity of their brains.

Hut—Exactly! And women have no whiskers because of the intense activity of their chins.—Boston Transcript.

Spray Controls Melon Aphis

The plant louse or melon aphis, which is incorrectly called the Hessian fly sometimes in Florida, is causing trouble in many sections of the state. It is small and in the early stages of the outbreak usually escapes notice by the average person, according to J. R. Watson, entomologist to the University of Florida Experiment Station. It has sucking mouth parts and the damage it does is not apparent until the leaves of the plant begin to wilt and die.

It attacks a number of plants, among which are cucumbers, cantaloupes, squashes, watermelons and other members of the melon family. It is frequently found on cotton, citrus and other plants. Four methods are recommended for control—spraying, fumigation, dusting and clean culture.

Spraying is probably the most satisfactory. A soap and tobacco decoction is the best preparation. Growers will probably find it more convenient to buy the tobacco extract ready made. There are many preparations on the market, but they vary in strength. If Blackleaf-40 is preferred it should be used in proportion of one part to 1000 to 1,800 of water.

A good formula for controlling plant lice is as follows: dissolve two or three pounds of whale oil soap or other caustic soap in five gallons of water. Hard water will require more soap according to the degree of hardness. Add one-fourth of a pint of Blackleaf-40 and boil five minutes. Dilute this stock solution to 50 gallons with water just before application. Apply the spray to the under side of the leaves.—Agricultural News Service.

Potash Discovered in Banana Stalk

American Consul Byington at Leeds, England, in a dispatch to the department of commerce, announces the discovery by a scientist there that large quantities of potash can be obtained from dried banana stalks, heretofore considered valueless. The discovery was made by E. E. Lawson of Leeds. An analysis by Dr. A. J. Hanley, of the Leeds University, confirmed he satement that 49.9 per cent of the dried stalks were potash.

FLORIDA CITRUS EXCHANGE

Each grower who markets his fruit through the Florida Citrus Exchange receives an account sales which shows him where and when it was sold, just what the fruit brought, just what was the cost of selling it and of advertising it.

All transactions of the Exchange are open to the inspection of the members. Their chosen directors decide on expenditures of every character before these are made. A committee of their number regularly audits all bills and the books are frequently gone over by certified accountants.

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ARMOUR PACKING PLANT WILL HELP FLORIDA CATTLE INDUSTRY

That the announcement of Armour & Company to build a modern packing house in this city would be "a most valuable impetus to the cattle growing industry of Florida and one that is most certainly to make itself substantially felt in a comparatively short time" is the view of Maxwell A. Kilvert, president of the South Florida and Gulf Railroad, who returned to Jacksonville from New York yesterday. The South Florida and Gulf, on which construction is making rapid progress, is projected through the Kissimmee prairie country in Osceola county, one of the largest areas in Florida given over to the livestock industry.

In the opinion of Mr. Kilvert, Florida stockmen have to a very great extent been hampered in their industry by being far removed from packing house markets and this latest accession to the manufacturing industries of the state will have quicker effect upon the producers of the raw material than any other single factor, save the movement seeking tick eradication.

It will be only a few years at most, says Mr. Kilvert, who has made a close study of the cattle and livestock industries in the Western states and in Mexico, when Florida will be producing beef the equal of any sent from the Western ranges. Here there is a pasturing of ten months, and all of the feeds needed for finishing fine cattle can be grown all year round. Indeed, no part of Florida that is now sparsely populated, but offers advantages to the stockgrower.

The increasing scarcity of beef cattle, the growing demand and the improved method of producing it have caused many an old-time cowman out West to turn from the old idea of "letting them run wild" and results during the past couple of years have shown the wisdom of better breeds and better feeds.

"According to the federal department of agriculture, the average value of the 41,000,000 head of cattle in the United States in 1910 was $19.07, and in 1916, with an estimated 39,000,000 cattle in the country, the estimated value is fixed by the same authority at $33.49 a head. In Florida in 1915 the department estimated the value of the 735,000 head of cattle in the state at $14.50 per head, and for 1916 the 772,000 head of cattle are given an average value of $14.90.

"In the same one year period the average increase given to Texas cattle is but $1.40 a head, while in New Mexico, which is out of the tick quarantine districts, the average increased value per head is fixed at $4.60. In three counties in Alabama which in two years were entirely freed from the cattle tick at a cost of less than fifty cents per head, the increased value of each beef animal is estimated at more than $9.

In the past ten years the quarantine area has been reduced from 741,515 to 465733 square miles and that area continues to be cut down, Florida being the most recent to undertake systematic eradication.—Florida Metropolis.

Says the Tampa Tribune: "Pears soap spent $400 for advertising its first year. Now it is spending $1,000,000 a year. Meantime the capital of the concern has increased from $35,000 to $4,000,000."

The real estate market will be "dull" most of the time if you try to sell property without the help of the Tribune's advertising?

Profit in Avocadoes

No product of Florida's soil has during the past decade increased in popularity as rapidly as the avocado, commonly known as the "alligator pear," which is one of the greatest delicacies known.

The desire for this fruit grows on one, and whereas its qualities were little appreciated a few years ago, the wealthy people of other states now gladly pay the fanciest prices for the pears. Therefore, acreage devoted to the cultivation of the fruit increases each season, in spite of which the demand exceeds the supply. This demand will grow from year to year, the profits are sure and it is natural interest in the cultivation of the fruit should be spreading to all counties of South Florida. In the Redlands district of Dade county scores of acres have recently been planted and efforts are being made to make the section the largest for the cultivation of avocadoes in the world. It seems to us that the people of our Gulf coast counties should equal or exceed the pace being set by the progressive East Coasters.

Three-Fourths of Last Season's Sales Were Skinner Packing House Machinery

The best information available shows that about three-fourths of citrus packing house machinery installed in Florida last season was of the Skinner make.

Every year since we began to supply Skinner equipment our total sales have increased. There could be no more significant testimony as to its efficiency.

There is a Reason For This Record

No advertising or salesmanship would have made our machinery dominate the field. It had to give satisfaction. H. C. Schraeder writes: "As you know, we have been using your machinery exclusively, and take pleasure in saying that it is not only because it is very satisfactory in every respect but that we are pleased with your 'SATISFACTION GUARANTEED' policy."

Now is the time to write for our new catalog. Don't delay in taking up the matter of equipment for next season. Prices will be higher later.

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POOR MILK WAGON DRIVER HAS NO CHANCE WITH NAVY OFFICERS

That a poor boy cannot get within gunshot of high navy officials to elicit interest in his invention, if he happens to be an inventor, is the charge made by Representative William E. Cox, of Indiana.

A young man named Sheridan Simmons, who was born and raised in Dubois county, Indiana, Cox's home county, claims to be the inventor of a torpedo that will carry full weight and full strength 23,000 yards, whereas the average range of torpedoes at the present time is between 6,000 and 8,000 yards.

Simmons now drives a milk wagon in New York City a a salary of $16 a week. Time and again, Cox says, Simmons has sought an interview with the navy department officials solely for the purpose of getting them to scrutinize and investigate his torpedo, but always has failed.

"For some reason or other," said Cox, he has never been able to get within gunshot distance of them. I insist that because he is not well educated and a poor boy is no reason to refuse him an audience, and he ought not to be ignored, for he is a wizard when it comes to mechanical ideas and inventions.

"Men like Nicholas Murray Butler, one of the greatest scientific men in this country, have gone over his invention and say it will revolutionize modern warfare," continued Cox. "Papers like the Scientific American have devoted page after page to this man's invention, and yet, for some reason or other, I know not why, he has never been able to get his invention before the naval board or those in authority down there with a view of determining whether or not he has an invention that will prove of value. . The time might come, it may be knocking at our doors right now, when the Simmons torpedo would do for our country exactly what the Ericsson invention did for modern warfare during the Civil war.

"Ericsson and his Yankee cheesebox sitting on a plank was denied an audience at the hands of the navy, yet his little monitor saved Washington City from bombardment, if not from capture, and today there is a bill pending on the calendar of the House program to erect a monument to Ericsson at a cost of $100,000. The time may be near when the Simmons torpedo would be worth billions of dollars to us and save countless thousands of lives. When everybody is crying preparedness, I say give him a chance."—Florida Metropolis.

Germany's Loss in Men Stupendous

An official British estimate of German casualties in April, places the total at 91,162. The number of German casualties since the beginning of the war is given as 2,282,070. These figures were given in the following statement:

"German casualties, exclusive of corrections, were reported during the month of April, 1916, as follows: Killed, or died of wounds, 17,455; died of sickness, 2,395; prisoners, 1,921; missing, 6,217; severely wounded, 14,557; wounded, 4,001; slightly wounded, 38,976; wounded remaining with units, 5,637; total, 91,162.

"These, added to those reported in previous months, including corrections reported in April, 1916, bring the totals reported in German official lists since the beginning of the war to:

Killed or died of wounds	664,552
Died of sickness	41,325
Prisoners	137,798
Missing	197,094
Severely wounded	385,515
Wounded	254,267
Slightly wounded	1,023,212
Wounded with units	117,956
Total	2,882,079

"These figures include all German nationalities—Prussians, Bavarians, Saxons and Wurttembergers. They do not include naval or colonial troops."

Pay Honor to the Flag

An address by Col. John McElroy who is past senior vice commander of the G. A. R.; the reading of an original poem dedicated to the daughters of Veterans by Dr. Thomas Calver, and a musical program featured the Flag Day exercises held by the Daughters of Veterans last week in the Grand Army Hall at Washington, D. C.

Following the invocation by Col. J. T. Thompson, commander-in-chief, H. V. Speelman of the Sons of Veterans presented the colors and spoke on the subject "Our Heritage." Among the other speakers were Miss Jennie L. Hamilton, national inspector, and Mrs. I. W. Ball, past national senior vice president of the Women's Relief Corps. Miss M. G. Spencer, patriotic instructor, presided.

Almost Famine of Leather

The National Shoe Retailers' Association, with headquarters in Philadelphia, has called a conference of allied industries from all parts of the country to consider abnormal conditions making for an acute shortage of leather and shoe findings generally, as well as material price advances on shoes and the outlook for a real merchandise famine by fall.

A. H. Geuting, secretary of the association, in discussing the proposed conference, said today:

"Existing extraordinary conditions and the prospect of a serious shortage of leather very soon are alarming everybody in the trade. One of the things we hope to accomplish through the conference of allied industries is elimination of waste. It is no longer a question of price in the trade, but of getting merchandise and raw materials."

New Alphabet For the Chinese

Dr. T. F. Lam, a distinguished Chinese scholar, is in San Francisco awaiting the departure of the steamer which will carry him to China, where he will offer his countrymen an alphabet, which, if adopted, he said, would revolutionize the written language of China. After laboring for six years, while occupying the chair of associate professor of Oriental languages and literature in the University of London. Dr. Lam has created an alphabet of 56 characters. In addition to the new alphabet, Dr. Lam has devised a telegraphic code of dots and dashes to be used in connection therewith.

Make Escape in Coffins

In the first excitement of the roundup by the military authorities of the participants in the Dublin uprisings, after the leaders began to surrender, a number of Sinn Feiners escaped in coffins, according to a report that has reached London through the Sinn Fein "underground railroad." The escapes are said to have been facilitated by the momentary relaxation, in the tumult, of the usual rules concerning death and burial certification.

The method was simple. The supposed corpse would be placed in a hearse and followed by a few friends to the burial ground. After the service at the grave the priest would be called away and engaged in conversation, thus giving the grave diggers an opportunity to surround the coffin and lift up the "corpse." The released man was able to walk to a secluded end of the graveyard and thus to liberty.

A HAPPY DREAM THAT HAS COME TRUE

Many Tampa Citizens So Testify In the Past Five Months

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To be a sufferer from stomach troubles for years and to bear all the torments from this all too common ailment, and then be benefited almost over night, is like having a happy dream come true.

This has been the experience of thousands of former sufferers from this dreaded malady, who have taken Andes, the new reconstructive tonic, which aids nature to restore the stomach to the habit of doing a full day's work and doing it well.

The present day mode of living has raised havoc with stomachs. A tired, overworked stomach or kidneys, abused by overeating and by fast eating, and other faulty methods of living, cause no endless number of ailments, among them being hardening of the liver, kidney trouble or Bright's disease, catarrhal affections, dyspepsia and nervous breakdown, lost ambition and blood troubles.

Those so affected will find Andes the ideal medicine, as men and women in all walks of life are daily acknowledging the benefits everywhere it has been introduced. Andes has become a household word; its records for sales have been very great; its success is based on merit alone; its best advertiser is the former sufferer who has been relieved. The laboratories are working day and night to supply the great demand which has been created for Andes throughout the country.

Nervous, tired-out men and women, or those suffering from stomach, kidney, liver, intestinal, catarrhal troubles should visit P. D. Marine, St. Cloud, where Dr. Payne's agent will explain the virtues and wonderful cures affected by Andes Prescription, the Master Medicine. 42-1t

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re Estate of Fred Deal } Osceola County.

To all Creditors, Legatees, Distributees and all Persons having Claims or Demands against said Estate:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of Fred Deal, deceased, late of Osceola County, Florida, to the undersigned administrator of said estate, within two years from the date hereof.

Dated May 23, A. D. 1916.

A. E. DROUGHT, Administrator.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Gainesville, Florida, June 3, 1916.

Notice is hereby given that Benjamin F. Bigelow, of Lokosee, Florida, who, on June 15, 1911, made Homestead entry No. 08250, for Lots 4 and 5, Section 13, Township 31 South, Range 34 East, Tallahassee Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before clerk of Circuit Court at Kissimmee, Florida, on the 20th day of July, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Elmer R. Bass, of St. Cloud, Florida.

Robert E. Willis, of Lokosee, Florida.

Alfred Nicholson, of Lokosee, Florida.

Benjamin Dixon, of Lokosee, Florida.

ROBERT W. DAVIS, Register.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE STATE OF FLORIDA.

Estate of Ferdinand Schellschmid: Osceola County.

To all Creditors, Legatees, Distributees and all persons having Claims or Demands Against said Estate:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of Ferdinand Schellschmidt deceased, late of Osceola county, Florida, to the undersigned executor of said estate, within two years from the date hereof.

Dated June 1, A. D. 1916.

A. E. DROUGHT, Executor.
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CITATION of ADMINISTRATION

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, STATE OF FLORIDA.

Estate of William Weckerly Osceola County.

By the Judge of said Court:

Whereas, Carl E. Carlson has applied to this court for Letters of Administration on the estate of William Weckerly, deceased, late of said county of Osceola;

These are, therefore, To cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of said deceased to be and appear before this court on or before the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1916, and file objections, if any they have, to the granting of letters of Administration in the estate, otherwise the same will be granted to the said Carl E. Carlson, or to some other fit person or persons.

Witness my name as County Judge of the county aforesaid this the 29th day of May, A. D. 1916.

(SEAL) T. M. MURPHY, County Judge.
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ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION AND PROPOSED CHARTER OF THE CENTRAL FLORIDA INTER-URBAN RAILWAY COMPANY.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on the 16th day of June, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as we can be heard, apply to the Hon. Park M. Trammell, Governor of the State of Florida, at his office in the State House in the city of Tallahassee, State of Florida, for letters patent incorporating ourselves, our associates and successors, into a body politic and corporate under the name of THE CENTRAL FLORIDA INTERURBAN RAILWAY COMPANY.

We also hereby declare and show that the following charter and articles of incorporation is a full, true and complete copy, the original of which is on file in the office of the Secretary of State of the said state of Florida, at the said city of Tallahassee, during the time required by law for the publication of this notice.

CARL E. CARLSON.
WM. S. ALYEA.
WM. HALL.

The undersigned hereby associate themselves together for the purpose of becoming incorporated under the laws of the state of Florida.

ARTICLE I.

The name of the corporation shall be the Central Florida Inter-urban Railway Company. The principal office and place of business shall be at Saint Cloud, Osceola County, state of Florida, and elsewhere in the state of Florida, or in other states or countries through other offices, branches, agencies, or otherwise as may be necessary or convenient. This inter-urban road shall begin at Saint Cloud in Osceola County, going to Sanford, through Osceola, Orange and Seminole counties. Thence to Dunnellon, through Lake, Sumter or Marion counties. Thence to Tampa, through Citrus, Hernando, Pasco, Pinellas and Hillsborough counties. Also from Sanford, in an easterly direction through Volusia county to some point on the Atlantic coast. Also from Saint Cloud, through Osceola and Brevard counties to some point on the Atlantic coast, a total distance of about three hundred (300) miles.

ARTICLE II.

The general nature of the business or businesses, to be transacted by said company is as follows:

To purchase right of way, to build inter-urban railways, and equip same and to carry on a general transportation business:

Same to be operated by oil, gasoline, or electric power; to purchase lands, to carry on a wholesale or retail business in lands; to acquire, buy, purchase, or otherwise own, hold, buy, sell, convey, exchange, lease, mortgage, dispose, trade, and deal in real estate or other property, personal or mixed.

To plat and sell town sites. To survey, subdivide, plat, improve, develop lands for the purpose of sale or otherwise, and to do and perform all things needful for the development, improvement and management of same for residence, trade or business.

To conduct a general real estate business. To carry on the trade of general dealers in merchandise and supplies of all kinds. To carry on and to entertain any business transaction or operation commonly carried on and undertaken by promoters, investors, financiers, contractors and merchants, commission men and agents, and in the course of such business to draw, accept, indorse, acquire, and sell all or any negotiable and transferable instruments, and securities including debentures, bonds, notes and bills of exchange.

To purchase, acquire, hold, own, assign, transfer, dispose of the stocks and bonds and other evidence of indebtedness of this or any corporation, domestic or foreign. To issue in exchange therefor, its stocks, bonds or other obligations. To acquire, own, work, lease, mortgage, convey, sell, dispose of, any mine, minerals, ores, mineral oils, of all kinds, mining and mineral oil rights and metalliferous lands and any interest therein and to explore, work, exercise, develop the same and manufacture and transport all kinds of ores, metal and mineral products thereof.

To establish, construct, operate, and conduct turpentine farms and stills, shingle mills, saw mills, hotels, electric lighting and power plants, exchanges and systems, tramways, log roads, brick roads, rock roads, gravel roads and dredging and drainage plants and systems, water works and sewerage plants and systems; and to manufacture and deal in lumber, cross-ties, and naval stores, of all kinds.

To acquire, purchase, catch, take, buy, hold, store, pack, preserve, sell, export, dispose of and distribute fish of all kinds and generally to engage in the fish business.

To build, buy, sell, equip, operate and own steamships, steamboats, sailing vessels, motor launches, power boats, and other boats and property to be used in business, trade, commerce, and navigation; and to construct and operate piers, docks, wharves, warehouses, and terminals in connection with such business.

To purchase any and all other businesses, and to do any and all other acts and things, and to exercise any and all other powers which may be necessary, expedient or convenient in connection with or in addition to the business and businesses hereinbefore specified, which a natural person and a corporation of this character may lawfully do and exercise, and to do any and all of the businesses or things before mentioned, either alone or in combination.

It is the intention of the incorporators that all of the objects and powers specified, and clauses contained in this paragraph shall, except where otherwise expressed, in said paragraph, be nowise limited or restricted by reference to or inference from the terms of any other clauses of this charter, or any other paragraph in this charter, but that the objects and powers named and mentioned shall be independent objects and powers.

This charter may be amended from time to time as provided by law now or hereafter enacted.

ARTICLE III.

The amount of capital stock of this corporation authorized hereunder shall be One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00) divided into One Thousand shares of a par value of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) each.

Any part or all of said capital stock may be payable either in cash or property, labor or services at a just valuation to be fixed by the incorporators or directors, at a meeting to be called for such purpose; and the judgment of such incorporators or directors as to the value of such property, labor, or services, shall, in the absence of fraud be conclusive upon, stockholders and all parties dealing with the company.

The authorized capital stock may be issued and paid for at such time or times and upon such terms and conditions as the Board of Directors may determine; and it may be increased from time to time beyond the amount stated, in the manner provided by law.

ARTICLE IV.

The corporation shall have succession by its corporate name perpetually and is to exist perpetually.

ARTICLE V.

The business of the corporation shall be conducted by a president, a vice-president, a secretary, and treasurer, and a board of directors, consisting of not less than three, nor more than five members; and the number of directors shall be fixed by the stockholders in the By-Laws from time to time.

The same person may hold two or more offices, except that the president and the treasurer shall not be the same person.

The following named persons shall be the officers to conduct the business of the company, until the officers, who shall be elected at the first election of officers of said company shall be qualified:

Carl E. Carlson, president; Wm. S. Alyea, vice-president, Wm. Hall, secretary and treasurer; and each of said three persons shall be a director.

Such directors and officers shall be elected annually on the second Tuesday of January of each year, beginning in the year 1917.

ARTICLE VI.

The said corporation shall adopt an appropriate seal, and shall adopt by-laws for the government of its affairs, not inconsistent with its articles of incorporation and the laws of the state of Florida, which by-laws may be amended or repealed as may be provided in said by-laws.

ARTICLE VII.

The highest amount of indebtedness or liability to which the corporation can at any time subject itself shall be One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000.00).

ARTICLE VIII.

The names and residences of the subscribing incorporators together with the number of shares on the authorized capital stock subscribed for by each, are as follows:

Carl E. Carlson, residence St. Cloud, Florida, 334 shares.

Wm. S. Alyea, St. Cloud, Florida, 333 shares.

Wm. Hall, St. Cloud, Florida, 333 shares.

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State of Florida, Osceola County, ss.

BE IT KNOWN; that on this sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1916, personally appeared before me, a notary public of and for the County and State aforesaid, Carl E. Carlson, Wm. S. Alyea and Wm. Hall, all to me well known and known to me to be the individuals named in and who subscribed their names to the foregoing proposed Charter of the Central Florida Inter-Urban Railway Company and acknowledged that they executed the same for the purposes therein mentioned.

Witness my hand and seal this 16th day of May, A. D. 1916.

W. G. KING,
(SEAL) My Commission Expires August 9th, 1917.

State of Florida, County of Osceola, ss.

On this sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1916, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public of and for the County and state aforesaid, Carl E. Carlson, Wm. S. Alyea and Wm. Hall, all of St. Cloud, Florida, and all to me well known, who, being duly sworn made oath:

That they are the majority of the stockholders of the Central Florida Inter-Urban Railway Company.

That it is intended in good faith to construct, maintain and operate the railroad mentioned in the proposed charter.

CARL E. CARLSON,
W. S. ALYEA,
WM. HALL.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this sixteenth day of May, A. D. 1916.

(SEAL) W. G. KING,
My Commission Expires August 9th, 1917.
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Children's 69c Fancy Dresses .. 52c
Ladies' $4.98 Rain Coats $3.74
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HOSIERY—
All 25c Hosiery 19c
All 15c Hosiery 12c
All 10c Hosiery 8c
THIS INCLUDES U. S. SOLDIER AND BUSTER BROWN GOODS

Rope, 30c value 22c
Fishing Tackle ..... ¼ off
Flags and Fourth of July Decorations ..... ¼ off
Ladies' 25c Vests 19c

Talcum Powder, 25c value 19c
Talcum Powder, 15c value 12c
Talcum Powder, 10c value 8c

Safety Pins, 2 cards for 5c

Bungalow Aprons, 59c value ... 45c

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All piece goods including Lawns, Percales, Galatea Stripes, White Piquas, values up to 15c per yard, sale price 8c
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STRAW HATS—
All 50c Hats 39c
All 25c Hats 19c
All 10c Hats 8c

Silko and Crochet Cotton, 10c value, 8c; 3 for 24c

Cotton Threads 4c

GLASSWARE—
Lamp Chimneys, No. 2 ..... 8c
Lamp Chimneys, No. 1 ..... 4c
Lamps, 29c value 22c
Lanterns, 49c value 38c
All 10c Glassware 8c

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Everything ..... ¼ off
THE FINEST ASSORTMENT EVER OFFERED AT SACRIFICE PRICES

Ribbons, all grades & pieces .. ¼ off

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